

# THE INDEPENDENT

THIRTY-SEVENTH YEAR

GRIMSBY, WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 26, 1931

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## ADVERTISING AGENCY IN MONTREAL HOLDS UP POLITICAL ADVERTISING BY OFFERING LOW PRICE

Members of Canadian Weekly Newspaper Association Have Special Rate For Political Advertising Which is Justified, But Company Offers Same Rate As Good Commission On That.

The Independent is continually and consistently telling the public that advertising pays—the advertiser. And it does. But apart from that it is necessary that it also pays The Independent or it cannot continue. There is a corporation called the Canadian Weekly Newspaper Association of which The Independent is a member. This body is for the mutual advancement and protection of its members. Some weeks ago some advertising was sent out by a firm in Montreal and was promptly refused, not only by The Independent, but by practically all others as the price offered was too low. The association took the matter up and the manager has received many, many scores of letters from publishers saying they would stand by the association and hold out for their regular price for such advertising. The following is from the Ontario Reformer of Oshawa, on Tuesday, October 18. It explains the situation and The Independent fully concurs in the views expressed by The Reformer:

### WHY THE REFORMER IS NOT PUBLISHING ADVERTISEMENTS OF THE CONSERVATIVE PARTY

"Readers of The Reformer, especially our Conservative friends, may possibly wonder why the advertisements of the 'National Liberal and Conservative Party' which are part of a campaign directed from the headquarters of the Party at Ottawa, are not appearing in The Reformer and a word of explanation may be in order.

"In the first place, The Reformer wishes to make it perfectly clear that whatever position it may take editorially in the forthcoming campaign, each of the three political parties will be treated precisely alike so far as The Reformer's advertising columns are concerned. Each party or each individual candidate is quite at liberty to avail itself or himself of space in the paper for signed advertisements, such advertisements to be marked 'Political Advertising' at the discretion of the publishers. The only provision is that the space be paid for by The Reformer's regular rate for such advertising, and the same rate to apply to all parties and to all candidates without discrimination.

"The Reformer feels that it is performing a useful public service in thus placing its columns at the disposal of those interested in the dissemination of their respective policies and platforms. This is the time for the fullest possible discussion on all the great questions of the day, and there is probably no more efficient or more convenient vehicle for the promotion of such discussion than the columns of local newspapers, such as The Reformer that reach into every nook and corner of every constituency in the Dominion.

"The National Liberal Conservative Party is no doubt fully seized with the importance of reaching all the people with its message, but unfortunately it appears to have been ill-advised by a large advertising agency in Montreal whose services it secured in the placing of the newspaper advertising. This agency has been endeavoring for the past two or three weeks and is still endeavoring to get the advertising inserted at rates below those usually charged for political advertising, which is a class of advertising which many newspapers consider, is entitled to pay a somewhat higher rate than that paid by merchants. There are excellent reasons for this distinction which need not be discussed here. Suffice it to say that the principle has been endorsed by the Press Association and is even recognized to some extent by the advertising agency in question, as that agency has in some cases offered commercial rates have been offered, accompanied by the statement that all newspapers are being treated on exactly the same basis.

"In the case of The Reformer an order was received for one thousand inches of advertising (about equivalent to seven full pages) for Conservative Party, and as the advertising agency persisted in refusing to agree to the proper rate of payment for same, the entire contract has been refused, and the first advertisement, approximately a half page, ordered for Saturday last, has been omitted. Of course, future insertions will be given of other advertisements the Conservative Party instructs the agency to purchase the space at card rates.

"The Reformer wishes to make it plain that it has no desire to injure the cause of the Conservative Party or any other party in the South Ontario Riding by refusing to open its advertising columns for legitimate propaganda advertising, but it does insist, and will continue to adhere to that position, that its space is for sale only on the same, terms to everyone, and that neither its business policies or its sense of honesty permit it to give out rates or special concessions to any person or organization. In the present instance it looks as though The Reformer may have to forego the advertising in question but if that is the case, the loss to the

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### DIVIDE TOWN INTO FIRE INSPECTION DISTRICTS

The third annual meeting of the Ontario Fire Prevention League was held in Toronto on Tuesday, Oct. 13 and was attended by W. B. Smith, ex-chief and Frank E. Russ, acting chief of the GRIMSBY Fire Department. This league is province-wide and the objects are "for the purpose of promoting the science and improving the methods of fire prevention and fire protection; to obtain and circulate information on these subjects; to assist in securing proper safeguards against loss of life and property by fire; to keep the subject before the people, especially the young and endeavor to inculcate the idea that it is a patriotic duty to prevent fires.

On their return Messrs. Russ and Smith reported a most successful trip from at least their point of view, as the addresses given along fire lines was most lucid and instructive.

There was no great deal being displayed, declared Mr. Hewitt, to reduce this loss, though he admitted that fire prevention is making some headway, despite the difficulties being encountered, especially from indifference and lack of a proper appreciation of the state of affairs which exists.

That matches were responsible for 15 per cent. of the fires in Canada, and the United States was the statement of George F. Lewis, deputy fire marshal of Ontario and that last year 12,000 people were burned to death in Canada and the United States and 16,000 more were so badly burned that they succumbed later.

As an effect of what Mr. Russ learned GRIMSBY will be divided into four districts and three firemen appointed for each district and go over thoroughly and report on conditions and an effort will be made to reduce the danger now existent in many parts of the town.

### THE WEATHER

Week Ending Saturday 25th Inst.

TEMPERATURE

Maximum for week 63

Minimum for week 43

Highest (Monday) 72

Lowest (Friday and Saturday) 35

RAINFALL

Total for week .19

MR. WELLINGTON HAY

Who is the new leader of the Liberal Opposition in the Ontario Legislature. He succeeds Mr. Hartley H. Dewar who has resigned after two years leadership.

T. A. CRERAR

Leader of the U. F. O. party. He is a Western Canadian product.

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## NEW ELM STREET BRIDGE IS COMPLETED; VEHICULAR TRAFFIC MIDDLE OF NOVEMBER

The bridge replacing the steel bridge on Elm street destroyed by the recent unfortunate accident is now completed, and will be open for vehicular traffic about the 14th of next month, that is should the weather continue favorable to the setting up of the concrete. In the meantime pedestrians can use the bridge. The bridge is of plain design, simple circular arch with spandrel walls panelled parallel to arch ring and abutment with heavy posts and railings and lamp standards at each corner.

The appearance of the bridge although of severest simplicity is pleasing carrying with it an assurance of strength and durability. The construction work was commenced three weeks ago and has progressed with a good speed record.

The roadway is sixteen feet in width, sufficient for two vehicles to pass with ample room. A sidewalk is built on either side of the road, these with posts and railings make up an over all width for the bridge of 28 feet.

The whole construction is of reinforced concrete, monolithic. The abutments of the old bridge were not disturbed being in most excellent condition, but new footings were dug below old footings and sketched was commenced at average water level.

The slightly lessened space for water travel was compensated for by deepening the creek and flooring same, thus lessening friction and accelerating flow. The expansion has been taken care of by bituminous filling concrete of one part cement, two of sand and four of coarse aggregate was used for main mass work largely supplemented by "gun mud" gathered from the creek bed. A 1, 2, 3 mix was used for posts and railings.

The re-inforcement used was of 1/2 inch square twisted steel bars, about 100 lbs. per lineal foot. The reinforcement was placed in the concrete in a pattern of 12 inch centres Barton pattern.

The spandrel walls were re-inforced at eighteen inch intervals. In all cases re-inforcement was well bonded together by soft steel wire.

The steel was purchased from The Burlington Steel Co. and bears an elastic limit strength of 43,500 lbs. to the inch and an ultimate strength of 59,000 lbs. to the inch, the quantity of steel used was close to four tons.

Canada Portland cement was used and the total of 330 bags were required to complete the structure. The approaches to the bridge have yet to be taken care of as the new edifice is one foot above the level of the old.

In their choice of a concrete bridge the Reeve and Council were governed by the considerations that: A properly constructed concrete bridge is absolutely indestructible. A concrete bridge is the only bridge that grows stronger with age.

As time passes, traffic on our highways grows heavier, steel and wooden bridges grow weaker. To build a concrete bridge is just plain common sense. A concrete bridge provides a continuous road way. Wooden floors for bridges are an expensive nuisance. Concrete bridges require no floor renewals. Concrete bridges are rust-proof, frost-proof, flood-proof and fire-proof.

Concrete bridges require neither painting nor repairs. Concrete bridges are permanent improvements. A concrete bridge can be widened at any time without re-building. A concrete bridge once built is built for all time.

Concrete bridges are built with labor.

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## LOCAL TELEPHONE RATES TO BE ALTERED BY COMPANY APPLICATION TO DOMINION BOARD

Private House Lines Will Not Be Changed—Greatest Raise Will Be But Five Dollars and Forty Cents Per Year—Company Claims It Is Not Getting All That Was Awarded, Nor Enough to Make Much Called For Extensions.

	Present Rate	Proposed Increase
Business Individual.....	\$2.05	\$2.50 45 cents
" 2 Party Line.....	1.85	2.00 15 "
" 4 " ".....	1.54	2.00 46 "
Private Branch Exchange Trunk.....	2.05	2.50 45 "

As will be seen by the above proposed schedule of rates, business 'phones are the only ones effected in Grimsby by the application for increase in tolls now being made by The Bell Telephone Co. to the Board of Railway Commissioners for Canada.

While the increase on business 'phones would be very slight, only amounting to forty-five cents a month, no increase at all is asked for on house 'phones or on rural party line 'phones.

If the application is granted, which it very likely will be, the new rates will immediately go into effect, but the rate on house 'phones will remain as it is.

The same rate that applies to GRIMSBY also applies to Winona, Bensenville and Smithville. The reasons given by the Bell Co. for asking for this increase are as follows:

1st.—That the rates authorized do not produce sufficient revenue to meet its dividend requirements and therefore do not carry out the intent of the judgment and order rendered by the Board in April last.

2nd.—That it has found it impossible to obtain the new money required to enable it to extend its facilities, owing to inadequate earnings.

3rd.—That it has approximately 16,000 applications for service which it cannot supply owing to a general shortage of equipment, and

4th.—That unless large capital outlays are immediately arranged for, the shortage of equipment will become so serious and an prolonged that the public will be seriously handicapped through inability to obtain telephone service.

In some cities and towns strenuous opposition is being put forth by councils and citizens generally against the increase. In most of these cases the increase asked for is considerable and also includes an increase of \$5.40.

The increase on two-party business lines only amounts to fifteen cents a month, while on four-party lines it jumps forty-six cents a month. There are few of these kind of lines in use in GRIMSBY. On private branch exchanges the rate would increase forty-five cents a month. There is only one private branch switchboard in use in GRIMSBY.

It is doubtful if there will be any opposition to the increase asked for from GRIMSBY citizens. \$20 a year does not seem an unfair charge for a business 'phone that is used to any great extent and most of them are. Now that the Bell Company has put the wires underground through Main street their upkeep will no doubt be lessened but the cost of burying them was large.

No person has any great grievance on the service given by GRIMSBY central. Once and awhile an operator drifts off into the land of dreams but on the whole the service the past season has been very good.

THEY DO THINGS RIGHT IN GRIMSBY

A great boost for GRIMSBY business men was given the other day by a man from Montreal who has been in the district all summer buying fruit. He had his overcoat badly stained by fruit juice had on a trip to Montreal had it cleaned (?) by what is considered one of the good cleaners. He asked one of the good cleaners (A. E. Phipps) and the stain was removed and the cloth not injured. The man was so pleased that he came to The Independent with the facts. And better than that to The Independent was the fact that he learned of the GRIMSBY Dry Cleaners through The Independent.

PAID UP LIST

J. G. Armstrong, Grimsby Jan. 1932

J. E. Spring, Grimsby Nov. 1932

H. S. Willford, Grimsby Feb. 1932

PAID UP LIST

H. B. Garlick, Toronto May 26/32

J. D. Chaplin, St. Catharines Oct. 1932

### EAST HAMILTON CANDIDATE

WALTER S. ALLWARD

The Toronto sculptor, whose design for a battle-ship memorial was accepted by the government along with the one submitted by F. Chapman Clemesha, of Regina.

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### New Haberdashery

We are showing. All the latest novelties that particularly attract young men we can supply; but we have not forgotten the quieter taste of men of conservative minds; and our up-to-date stock of

#### MEN'S FURNISHINGS

includes shirts, collars, neckwear, hosiery and many other novelties to suit men of varying tastes.

Call and make known your wants.

**E. V. Hoffman**  
MEN'S FURNISHINGS (CLOTHING HATS)

PHONE 392

MAIN STREET

GRIMSBY, ONT.

## NEW FORD PRICES

TOURING .....	\$ 695.00
TOURING, Without Starter .....	610.00
RUNABOUT .....	645.00
RUNABOUT, Without Starter .....	550.00
COUPE .....	950.00
SEDAN .....	1,060.00
TRUCK .....	945.00
TRUCK, Without Starter .....	850.00
SPECIAL .....	775.00
SPEED TRUCK, Canopy Top .....	1,035.00

These Prices Include Freight and War Tax

**R. W. DOUGLAS**

SUCCESSOR TO JAS. FISHER

UNIVERSAL GARAGE

GRIMSBY, ONT.

Ford Sales and Service

## GRIMSBY

## DRY CLEANERS

We have bought out the business of Mr. Hoffman's Dry Cleaning Dept., and are now ready to Dry Clean, Press and Repair

Ladies' Suits Ladies' Dresses Kid Gloves  
Slippers, etc., etc., and

Men's Suits Men's Straw and Felt Hats

Entrance in Bell & Phipps, Jewelry and Gramophone Parlors

Satisfaction Guaranteed

Lowest Prices

**A. E. PHIPPS**

Proprietor

## SUNLIGHT LAUNDRY COMPANY

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GRIMSBY VILLAGE  
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SATURDAY**

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Drop a Card or Phone Regent 2600, or  
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Local Agents.

Phone 333

## LOVELACE NOMINATED AT LIBERAL CONVENTION

(St. Catharines Standard)

Liberalism—Lovelace and Frost—this is the policy of the Liberals of Lincoln, outlined at their convention held in the Prince of Wales Hall, St. Catharines on Thursday afternoon. Just where the Liberals stand because of their nomination of Capt. Lovelace, who previously was nominated by the Independent Labor Party, is in doubt even to the Liberals. They were advised after they had nominated Capt. Lovelace that their nomination was in vain. F. H. Avery, prominent member of the I. L. P., told the meeting that Capt. Lovelace had been a member of the I. L. P. for over two years and that in order to belong to that party it was necessary to forswear all allegiance to all other parties. This being true, Capt. Lovelace was no longer a Liberal. Further, as the nominee of the I. L. P., Capt. Lovelace is unable to stand as the nominee of the Liberals. Mr. Avery told his hearers. The Liberals can endorse him, but they cannot nominate him.

#### No Action Taken

Various resolutions to change the action of the convention to an endorsement, and to putting the question before Capt. Lovelace and permitting him to decide for which party he will be the standard bearer, were presented but no action was taken, and the convention adjourned with Capt. Lovelace duly nominated.

The name of Captain Lovelace was the only one mentioned at the convention, despite the fact that address of the speaker, Col. A. T. Thompson of Cayuga, and of President J. E. Masters of the Lincoln Association, both opposed, any affiliation whatever with any other party. It was apparent that a few of the prominent members of the Association were opposed to Lovelace as candidate but the majority wanted Lovelace despite his connection with the I. L. P. and they proceeded to have him elected as their nominee.

#### Well Attended

The meeting was well attended and was presided over by President Masters. In bidding the crowd welcome he referred to the fact that it was the first Liberal Convention in this riding since 1917, that had anything to do with the nomination of a candidate.

#### Officers Elected

The gathering then decided to elect officers.

It was moved by Lieut.-Col. McCordick, seconded by Mr. McLaren of Niagara, that the old officers be re-elected.

It was moved in amendment by P. H. Hetherington and F. C. Clifford that the officers be elected individually.

The amendment was lost.

The officers are:

President—J. E. Masters, Niagara.

1st Vice-president—Chas. Taylor, St. Catharines.

2nd Vice-president—F. Randall of GRIMSBY.

3rd Vice-president—J. Thompson, St. Catharines.

#### Only One Candidate

President Masters then called for nominations for a candidate.

Capt. Lovelace was named.

Mr. McLaren of Niagara expressed the opinion that the Liberals would make a mistake if they did not enter into the fight. He seconded the nomination. Capt. Lovelace, he said, had been before the people three times before. At the last election he did not have fair play, he was overruled and he did not get the support which he should have had.

G. M. Elson stated that before the nomination of Capt. Lovelace by the I. L. P. an endeavor was made to ascertain the action of the Liberal party, but as it seemed impossible to get a convention, Capt. Lovelace was advised to accept the nomination of Labor.

#### From Women

Secretary Hetherington presented the following resolution from the Women's Liberal Association.

Moved by Mrs. Wilson and Mrs. McKay: That the Women's Liberal Association of St. Catharines desires to go on record as regretting the existence at this time of a lack of cohesion between the three or more political parties opposed to the McLaughlin administration and we express our belief that the platform of the Liberal Party is sufficiently broad and safe and sane in its spirit of progress and in its regard for individual liberty as to meet the aspirations of the great mass of the Canadian people.

We desire also to express our confidence in the ability, integrity and patriotic public spirit of the gentleman who has been selected as a candidate by the Independent Labor Party in this constituency, viz: Capt. E. J. Lovelace, M. C. and we voice the opinion that he should receive the support of all who appreciate sacrifice and long enduring service in the Great War independently of any considerations of political partisanship.

#### Carried unanimously.

Where Do Liberals Stand?

F. A. J. Sheppard asked if Capt. Lovelace was nominated by the Liberals after having been nominated by the I. L. P., where would the Liberals stand? We can't win it we put four men in the field, he said, and we have every reason to believe that the Farmers will have a candidate. I would like to see a straight Liberal elected but I don't think we can do so in a field of four. We should stay out of the game now and let the I. L. P. have an issue.

W. J. Robertson asked: "Who is to stand out for the Liberal Party? Whoever he is should be whole-souled. I esteem Liberalism too highly to let it be a cat's paw to any other party."

If Lovelace would come out on a Liberal platform I would support him, but if he comes out as an annex to the Labor Party I will not support him."

Capt. Hetherington stated that Capt. Lovelace had been offered the nomination by the I. L. P., that he had made no pledges. In view of the fact that he was the Liberal candidate on three occasions it would be an injustice to nominate someone else where he is in the field. If we put another candidate into the field we will contribute to Capt. Lovelace's defeat. The workers of the Conservative party are hoping that we will put another candidate into the field, believing that such action would throw the election into the hands of Mr. Chaplin. I don't believe in playing second fiddle to the Labor Party but I believe we would be doing the right thing to do nothing to jeopardize the election of Capt. Lovelace.

It was moved by Mr. Hetherington, seconded by Chas. Taylor, that no candidate be nominated but the support of the party be given to Capt. Lovelace.

#### Nomination Stands

W. H. McCordick felt that Capt. Lovelace deserved the support of the Liberal Party. "He was not defeated in the last election," he said, "he was sold out. If we can't have him as our candidate we had better carry the motion."

President Masters argued that if a Liberal candidate was not put into the field in this election that there would be no Liberal party for years to come.

Mr. McLaren of Niagara urged the nomination of Lovelace, taking the stand that if a candidate were not nominated the Liberal party would lose ground.

T. R. Gilmore of Clinton, was opposed to endorsing the candidate of another party. You must have a candidate of your own if you would keep the party together," he said.

The question of refraining from nominating a candidate was put to the meeting and declared lost.

The nomination of Capt. Lovelace as candidate was then presented and carried.

#### A Bombshell From I. L. P.

F. H. Avery, member of the I. L. P., then threw a bomb into the gathering by announcing that he thought the convention was acting on a misconception of the true state of affairs. Capt. Lovelace, he said, had been a member of the I. L. P. for two years and when he accepted membership he agreed to sever all connections with the Liberal party. He could not accept the Liberal nomination when he is a nominee of the I. L. P. Lovelace is prepared to assist in legislation for all the people and not for any one section.

At this juncture opposition was raised to further oratory along this line and the President called Mr. Avery to order.

#### Suggestions But No Change

President Masters—You have been told that Capt. Lovelace cannot accept the nomination. What are you going to do?

Suggestions were made that the nomination be changed to an endorsement. Mr. McLaren felt that the executive should tender the nomination of the Liberal party to Capt. Lovelace and allow him to choose between the two parties.

H. Gracey of South GRIMSBY, reminded the convention that the Liberals of Lincoln got their support from the three western townships, not in St. Catharines, "and you won't get the vote of the west if you endorse Lovelace," he said. "If the Liberal organization amounts to anything they should have their own organization."

#### Votes of Confidence

On resolution of Mayor Munson of Niagara and W. J. Robertson, an expression of confidence was voted to Hon. W. L. Mackenzie King and in the platform of the Liberal party.

A vote of thanks was also tendered the speaker of the afternoon.

Mrs. Gilmore and McCarron moved that the secretary send a letter of condolence to Mrs. John H. Krus of Vineland, on the death of her husband, an outstanding Liberal.

It was moved by T. McCarron from Lincoln, that this convention of the Independent Labor Party do now adjourn.

And so the Liberal convention adjourned, Vice-president Taylor asking just before the rush of feet toward the door, "but where do we stand?" This seems to be the question at issue upon which light is needed shed at an early date.

#### SCHOOL FAIR WINNERS

The schools winning the highest number of points per pupil at the School Fair and so winning the Shield given by the Lincoln County Board of Agriculture, are listed as follows:

Calder, S. S. No. 4 Calder; Gainsboro, S. S. No. 11 Gainsboro; South GRIMSBY, S. S. No. 1 Gainsboro; Clinton & North GRIMSBY, S. S. No. 5 Clinton; Vineland, U. S. S. No. 2 and 3 Clinton and Louth, S. R. Room; Louth, S. S. No. 3 Louth, S. R. Room; Grantam, S. S. No. 2 Grantam, S. R. Room; Niagara, S. S. No. 4 Niagara.

#### HEAVE A ROCK AT FRANK E'S WINDOW

Last Friday someone threw a stone and smashed the big plate window in Frank E. Ross' building in front of the Bayview offices cracking it clear across. "Billy the Glass Man" cut the lower part away and the frame was raised up to the break. Frank says he knows who did it but will not tell.

Old Kent Bond Paper is good.

## DEPOSIT YOUR SAVINGS

Regularity in depositing in our Savings Bank, even in small sums, will make your balance increase surprisingly. For example:

Deposits of:	End 1st Yr.	End 2nd Yr.	End 3rd Yr.
\$ 1.00 Weekly	\$ 52.00	\$104.00	\$162.00
10.00 Monthly	121.45	246.00	375.00

OPEN A SAVINGS ACCOUNT AND PROVE IT.

## THE CANADIAN BANK OF COMMERCE

Capital Paid up \$15,000,000  
Reserve Fund \$15,000,000

GrimsbY Branch: H. J. White, Manager

## GLASS

"Now is the season of our discontent." So said the immortal William Shakespeare.

Billy the Glass Man says, "Now is the season of lower prices on glass, and likewise the season when you want all glass put in."

WINDSHIELDS, PLATE GLASS, FIGURED GLASS,  
LEADED GLASS, DOUGLE AND SINGLE  
DIAMOND.

My stock is complete.

Prompt attention.

**Wm. FARROW**

PHONE 230

GRIMSBY, ONT.

## 'PILOT' FURNACES



A postcard or 'phone message to us will bring you full information regarding Why Pilot Superior and Pilot Success Furnaces are so popular with users. They are built to do their work thoroughly, on least amount of fuel and to last. Samples now in use all over the district and every owner a booster. I am sole agent for them in your locality. Orders filled in rotation. Get yours in early and make it possible for us to have your furnace installed ready for use when you want heat.

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## Winona Waftings

(By Our Own Reporter)

The home of F. W. Bridges on the east side of the Fifty road just south of the lower road was totally destroyed by fire on Saturday morning Oct. 22. About ten o'clock a passing motorist stopped at the door and told Mr. Bridges his chimney was on fire but on going upstairs it was discovered that the whole place was a mass of flames. Neighbors noticing the blaze were soon on hand and helped to save a very small portion of the furniture. The barn was saved with much hard work by a bucket brigade. The house is owned by a Mr. Miller of Toronto. Mr. Bridges had been on the place about a year.

Victor R. Carpenter is still in Hamilton hospital where he has been ill for the past five weeks. Hopes are entertained for his early discharge.

Mrs. Kavana of Vancouver, B. C. who spent the summer with her brother Col. Harbottle, D.S.O., has returned to her home.

The memorial committee is making arrangements for the unveiling of the tablet to be placed in the school to commemorate the supreme sacrifice made by the former pupils of the

school during the great war. The unveiling ceremony is planned to take place on November 11.

Including about twenty-two in the continuation department, there is a total of one hundred and seventy pupils attending Winona school this term.

Mr. Gordon Hearn, Trinity College, Toronto preached at St. John's church Sunday evening, a very forceful sermon on the "Kingdom of Heaven."

On Monday evening before an audience that filled the Winona Hall Mr. Hearn gave an illustrated lecture on Russia. The pictures being those personally taken by Mr. Hearn while with the French Expeditionary Force to Siberia. By picture and story Mr. Hearn traced the rise of the Russian Empire and showed many phases of its modern life. He also gave a very interesting account of the Eastern Church, describing an Easter service he had attended lasting twenty hours and with thirty thousand people present. The proceedings of the lecture were in aid of the St. John's choir under whom auspices the lecture was given.

The St. John's Day-Scout headed by their band will parade to Vinemount Thursday evening for a winter road and Scout games.

On Friday evening Ancaster Dramatic Society will give "The of the Spenser" a very amusing playlet with over forty in the cast. This will be given in the Parish Hall (Winona) under the auspices of the W. A. Children's Day Service will be held next Sunday morning in St. John's church, when children will be the theme of hymns and sermon.

Miss Bertha Mallery who has been very ill with typhoid fever is reported slightly improved.

Mr. Victor Carpenter is still in the General Hospital with very little change in his condition.

St. John's Bible Class for adults Wednesday 8 p.m. in Winona Hall.

Isobel Southouse Unwin is married to John A. Blake.

Miss Isobel Southouse Unwin, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Francis Miltord Unwin, of 454 West 149th street, was married yesterday afternoon to John A. Blake, son of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Blake of 15 Hamilton Terrace, in the home of the bride.

Mrs. Frederick Culman, sister of the bride, was the matron of honor, and Thomas Blake, Jr., brother of the bridegroom, acted as best man. Mr. Blake is practicing law in New York City. He also is a member of the faculty of the Fordham Law School. The couple will make their home in New York City.

The above is from the New York Times of Sept. 2.

HENDERSON BROS. REPURCHASE BAKERY

GRIMSBY Bakery changed hands again last week when Henderson Bros., former owners of it repurchased the business and property from J. R. Beckett and Son.

Henderson Bros. sold this business last spring and went home to Scotland on a trip, returning to town about three weeks ago.

We welcome them back into the business circle of the town.

J. R. Beckett and Son have, we understand, purchased a large bakery business in Peterboro and will move there immediately.

THE BEST YET

The Independent has received the "Next." It is a cotton plant grown in GRIMSBY and on which are seven-teen bolts or pods. It was grown by A. Wiltmer, Robinson street south, who picked up the seeds from the floor of a freight car several years ago. He had carried them about in an old pocket until last spring when they were sown and planted at the southeast corner of the house. The plant is over three feet high and

fully developed. Peanuts, sweet potatoes, magnolias, cotton—all in the sunny GRIMSBY district.

CONPULSORY MAINTENANCE OF PARENTS

Under the provisions of "The Parents Maintenance Act," which came into effect on July 2nd of this year, a son or daughter shall be liable for support of their dependent parent, a parent whom by reason of age, disease or infirmity is unable to maintain himself. Under the act "a dependent parent, or any other person with the consent in writing of the Crown Attorney, may summon a son or daughter of such parent before a police magistrate or two justices of the peace, who, upon proof of service of the summons and whether or not the son or daughter appears and up-to sufficient evidence being adduced that such son or daughter has sufficient means to provide for such parent, may in the discretion of such magistrate or justices of the peace, having regard to the whole circumstances of the case, order that such son or daughter shall pay for the support of such parent, a weekly sum, not exceeding \$20, with or without costs.

An order may be made under the provision made for the varying if the dependent parent is being cared for in any sanatorium, home, asylum, or other eleemosynary institution.

Provision is also made in case of the non-payment of allowances, penalty provided for non-payment, and provision made for the varying of the order on change of circumstances.

A FEMALE FROCK FOR THE MORNING HOURS

(BY MARIE BELMONT)

The morning frock may be just as dainty as the more ornate model for the afternoon. There is, however, one quality that must be combined with its beauty and that is it must launder well. The model pictured is made of a fine blue and white striped percale. The skirt is cut straight and slightly shirred at the waistline. It is elaborated with two pockets made of plain blue percale. The bodice is designed in pleasing manner and the front panel extends in two long ends that are nicely bowed in the back. Plain blue collar and cuffs give it a nice finish.

Auto Radiators, Bodies and Fenders Repaired  
OXY-ACETYLENE WELDING

Now is the time to get your radiator fixed. Don't lose your anti-freeze

We make springs for any car or any kind of ironwork. See us about your overhaul.

Tires, Tubes, Accessories.

GRIMSBY GARAGE

G. W. GLEDHILL, Prop.

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THE

B. & H. BUS

FROM

BEAMSVILLE to HAMILTON

Will start operations on or about

NOVEMBER 10, 1921

Will run five trips daily until further notice.

PHONE 429 GRIMSBY

For further information

## Grimsby East News

By Our Own Reporter

J. Walters and Nick Book are house-

warding Park road from the G. T. R. to the north end of the cement walk.

The grounds around Mrs. Morningstar's Tea Room are being leveled up nicely and lawns will be seeded. Thomas F. Little is doing the work. He has also just completed similar work at George C. Heah's new house on Central avenue.

J. G. Kyra and Son have purchased a new one-ton delivery truck from Fred Poole of Ree garage, St. Catharines.

James Marlowe and Mr. and Mrs. George Marlowe motored to Buffalo over the week end to visit his brother.

Hydro power purchasing agents are working through here and have made several contracts for ground and air rights for the power line.

Mr. and Mrs. Percy of Toronto, spent the week-end with their daughter Mrs. Skinner, Park Road.

The street lights have been continued on down Park road to the

Casino.

E. R. Purvis spent the past couple of weeks on business in Toronto, Buffalo and New York.

W. H. Stevens has gone to St. Mary's for a few weeks. The Saturday night dances at the Casino have been discontinued for the present.

MOORES THEATRE

ATTRACTIONS

Wednesday—"Habit" with Mildred Harris and a Pathé Weekly.

Saturday—"Just a Wife" with Katharine Williams and a Comedy.

Monday—"Cupid the Cowpuncher" with Will Rogers and Episode 12 of "The Veiled Mystery."

Wednesday—"The Oath", an R. A. Walsh masterpiece and a Pathé Weekly.

## WEEK END SPECIALS

MEN'S AND BOYS' SUITS AND OVER-

COATS—LADIES' AND CHILDREN'S

COATS AND FURS

Men's and Boys' SUITS  
**25 Per Cent off**

Men's and Boys' OVERCOATS  
**25 Per Cent off**

Ladies' and Girls' COATS  
**33 1/3 Per Cent off**

FURS  
Now or Never  
**33 1/3 Per Cent off**

OTHER SNAPS

LADIES' BLACK CASH-MERE HOSE

Regular 75c value... 49c  
Regular \$1.00 value... 59c

SHORT ENDS OF PRINT

Desirable Pattern, in 3, 4 and 5 yards each, 19c yard

## UNDERWEAR FOR EVERYBODY

We specialize on Turnbull's for ladies and children.

## K. M. STEPHEN

MAIN STREET WEST. GRIMSBY

## TO THE BUSINESS MAN

The function of an eye is to see—of an ear to hear—of the tongue to speak.

The function of an Advertisement is to sell goods.

The more goods it sells, the better it functions. The INDEPENDENT advertising functions perfectly.

Does your eye function? See then the difference in size between the crowd in the store that is using INDEPENDENT advertising, and the one which is not. Does your ear function? Listen then to the praises bestowed upon The INDEPENDENT advertising by people who know.

Your prosperity depends upon your sales, and these in turn depend upon your advertising. The maximum amounts of sales depends essentially upon the use of advertising!

So, if you will pardon a last, and a very personal question, does your brain function?

If it does, see to it that you use more advertising space in the INDEPENDENT!

## THE INDEPENDENT

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### "Millions Now Living Will Never Die"

HEAR

E. Towne, of St. Catharines

In Moore's Theatre, Grimsby.

SUNDAY, OCT. 30th.

At 3 p.m.

Hear abundant scriptural and historical proof that the time for the establishment of God's kingdom among men, the destroying of death and the resurrection of the dead is at hand.

Auspices International Bible Students Association.

Seats free. No collection.

### "Good Shoes For Over Sixty Years"

### SUMMER DAYS ARE PAST

Your feet must now be protected from the cold damp days of Fall and Winter.

The INVICTUS DRY SOX shoe is built for this express purpose and just how well it fulfils its mission you can readily know.

DRY SOX shoes are made in both Black and Tan leathers, and we have them in all sizes and widths.

### FARRELL'S SHOE STORE

## THE WINONA STORE

GENERAL MERCHANDISE

### Special Cash Prices For Week ending October 29th

We have a large stock of goods and in order to turn them into cash we are reducing the prices so do not fail to share in the bargains while they last:

FLOUR—Perfect Brand, Pastry, 24-lb. bag at... 99c  
EAGLE BRAND SALMON—Large tin, extra value, 3 for 99c  
SALAD BRAND SALMON—Large tin, extra value, 4 for 69c  
CORN—Old Ann, Choice Brand... 4 tins for 49c  
CLARK'S PORK AND BEANS—Large tin... 3 for 49c  
BROOMS—4-string. Regular 60c value at... 49c  
SOAPS—Surprise, Comfort, P. & G. or Gold... 7 for 49c  
TEA—in bulk. Regular 60c a lb. at... 49c  
WESTON'S SODAS—3-lb. box, regular 60c, at... 49c  
MATCHES—Regular 45c pkg... Going at... 39c  
PEEL—Lemon and Orange. Going at per lb... 39c  
SOUP—Lynn Valley, Vegetable and Tomato, 5 tins for 29c

Try us for Fresh and Cured Meats at very reasonable prices.

If any goods are not satisfactory please let us know. We deliver promptly.

Best Goods at Best Prices at

## BEST'S STORE

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